

CITY'S WATER SUPPLY WELLS WILL BE INCREASED

Wells at Power House to be Deepened and
New Pumps Will be Put in.

The city fathers met in regular session last evening, the Mayor and Aldermen Elliott, Crawford and Rankin being present. The meeting was long and somewhat of a free-for-all, as most of the council meetings here.

Among the correspondence read was a letter from Alderman Crawford to the city solicitor, to whom correspondence read at a previous meeting with reference to the trees for the Allendale park, had been referred. The Alderman stated that upon the report of the parks committee being adopted by the Mayor and Elliott made a selection of trees and Alderman Crawford signed a contract as chairman of the parks committee. Afterwards he was informed by Mayor Mills that this contract would not do and a contract would have to be drawn up and signed by the mayor and secretary. He told Mr. Stevenson, the Alberta Nursery Co. representative, of this and Mr. Stevenson expressed his willingness to have the contract drawn up by the city. The contract was then ordered by Mr. Downie, the then secretary and without waiting for the city to sign, he had the contract drawn up. When they arrived the company's representative went to Alderman Crawford for instructions and was told that the Alderman could not give him any. The representative made a verbal agreement with Alderman McKenna and the trees were planted. Alderman Crawford denied that he ever acknowledged that the trees were alive and healthy or that they were planted in accordance with his instructions.

Later in the meeting when reports of the officers were reached, a communication from the city solicitor was read advising that a written contract existed with the company that was binding. The city was liable for the trees as they were delivered in a healthy condition and living. Delivery was to be interpreted to mean plants to be planted. Both communications were ordered filed.

Mr. Lordman being asked that the lakes on his property to the south-west of the city be drained. He stated that the government were the ones that had the right to drain the lakes. He brought into the city limits, about to take steps to drain the lakes. The matter was referred to the public works committee.

The following accounts were read and referred to the various committees to be paid if found correct:

J. A. Coulson & Co., 9.00
Davison & Weller, 22.74
Canadian Westinghouse Co., 63.75
Wilson & Gilliland, 108.50
Inspector Stearns, 13.00
Canadian Oil Co., 54.42
Crawford & Wicks, 25.00
A. H. Richards & Co., 5.76
S. J. Co., 14.25
Ross Bros., 26.50
H. H. Hannon, 5.00
Thornburn Lumber Co., 94.95
Douglas Bros., 7.87
City of Edmonton, 71.00
Galt Electric Fixture, 4.85
McDonald Hardware Co., 26.73
Charnick Co., 14.50
North West Electric Co., 26.20
W. E. Ross, 21.93

The Strathcona Coal Co.'s account for \$878.00 for coal was discussed. The secretary treasurer said he was informed by Mr. Ewing who had checked the delivery of coal at the power house that part of the coal charged for was screened coal was mine run. Mr. McNulty, the manager of the Strathcona mine, had stated that the coal in question was brought from the Morin mine while the Strathcona mine was shut down after the fire. It was the best obtainable and cost the Strathcona Co. \$1.25 more than they were getting for it.

Mr. Ewing on being questioned, said that the coal complained of was mine run and was got out of the Strathcona mine.

The mayor said he had met Mr. McNulty, who informed him that the mine was not a run coal.

An account from the McComb Hardware Co. for the delivery of a new system in operation, he was able to put in another wheelbarrow for Mr. McNulty.

Alderman Rankin said the city engineer and the city engineer were appointed a special committee to see that the mine was not a run coal.

The adjournment was made at ten o'clock.

The Fate of Morocco Harvesters' Excursions

Paris, Aug. 13.—While it is officially declared that the French government will not extend the scope of its action in Morocco beyond what was communicated to the powers, namely, to confine itself to the restoration of order and the organization of the international police, it may be significant of a possible change in the attitude of France that she has declined to agree to the invitation of Spain to send a new joint note to the powers in the face of a situation which was forced by her hand. At the moment, however, it is declared so that even the dispatch of French troops from France to Morocco has not been decided upon. The mobilizations in Algeria and at Toulon are explained, however, as precautionary measures with the view of having more effective men ready in the event of a sudden emergency. The section of the press in which is convinced that France must assume the task of putting an end to the existing anarchy in Morocco, believes it is the duty of the government to try to either to decide itself or the world they believe that to establish permanent order in Morocco, that country must be conquered by the French. The French government, therefore, the hands of France must be freed from the restrictions of the Algerian convention. Therefore the people believe the new powers should induce Germany to give her assent to the conquest of Morocco and then France must prepare for a long campaign. Of course, the natural sequel to the conquest, the absorption of Morocco, is not concealed.

STRIKE SPREADS TO CANADA

Toronto, Aug. 12.—The strike of the Western Union Telegraphers has delayed the morning of the G.N.W. Telegraph Co. N.W. is to all intents and purposes a strike. Several operators position of affairs here he continues to refuse to take messages and get them out of Winnipeg, but we cannot guarantee the message reaching its destination. There has been no further trouble on our line morning nearly the entire staff of the company and will not strike unless they are imperatively ordered by the union headquarters. The C.P.R. operators who did not want to take night men despatches last night were not that they did not need to, consequently there was no friction. The action of the G.N.W. men being entirely in sympathy with Western Union men, but it is felt that the local men were still nursing and defeat they had the last time they struck and were not sorry to have a favorable opportunity to put the company in the hole again. Mr. Michael refused to talk to the reporters but issued a signed statement, giving the company's version of the friction.

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Mrs. Stanford White Engaged

New York, Aug. 13.—Mrs. Stanford White, widow of the architect whom Harry Thaw killed, is engaged to marry, according to well defined report. Her late husband's partner, Charles Follen McKim, is said to be the prospective bridegroom. The wedding, according to the report, will take place as soon as the trial of Harry Thaw is concluded and the sensation caused by the killing of Stanford White dies out.

Turning Missionary

(Special to the Chronicle)
Perge, Ont., Aug. 14.—E. C. Robinson, manager of the branch of the Imperial Bank here, has resigned that position to go into missionary work in North America.

Extensive Swindles by Winnipeg Woman

Winnipeg, Aug. 12.—This city experienced recently the operations of a young woman, who evidently was the simulator of the achievements of Cassie Chadwick, and she has left a long list of deluded persons who are now anxious to let her have all kinds of expensive merchandise in return for merely her promise to pay for them. She was a large inheritance from an alleged uncle who had died at Ottawa. The woman was Mary Ellen O'Brien, who came here from Ottawa in 1901 and was for some time a subscription canvasser on local papers. Later she obtained employment in the education department and subsequently she took a house on Spence street where she and her mother conducted a rooming house. She purchased a row of houses for \$10,000, from George Higginbottom on credit, telling him that she was a relative of Hon. C. S. Hyman. She bought an automobile from McCall and Bell, made only a small payment and hired a chauffeur, whom she never paid. The automobile was stolen when she left the city last December. There are many other creditors, including Hammonds Fur Store, and Hudson's Bay Co. who are being swindled. The woman is now in Ottawa.

SPORTS

Baseball.

Capitals Still Beating Hatters
The Edmonton team took another steady towards the head of the league table last evening when they again defeated Medicine Hat by a score of 3-1. It was a good game, hard fought all the way, and the home team was on their merits. The Capitals are only three points behind the Hatters now and if they win the game to-night they will be ahead.

Calgary's Luck Changed

Calgary, August 12.—The home team gave the fans a pleasant surprise to-night by putting it all over Lehigh and winning out by a score of 4-1. The made seven of their runs in the second inning, and knocked Schuch out of the box. He was replaced by White, who was not much better. Kinser pitched a good game for the locals.

WESTERN CANADA LEAGUE.

Standing of clubs:

Medicine Hat	W. L. P. C.
Edmonton	3 3 0 6
Lehigh	4 2 2 4
Calgary	33 32 548

Football

Provincial Championship Northern Division

FINAL STANDING			
Played	Won	Lost	Pts
Strathcona	3	0	6
Edmonton	4	2	4
Ed. Park	3	0	6

C. P. R. Gift to Y. M. C. A.

Kenora, Aug. 13.—Announcement was made today of the first gift made by the Canadian Pacific Railway to the Young Men's Christian Association. Traveling Secretary Bayne and General Hart had a brief conference with Superintendent J. J. Scully, after which the announcement was made that the C.P.R. would make a gift of \$20,000 to the Association, with which it runs an excellent structure will put up here.

Sympathy for Escaped Convict

(Special to the Chronicle)
Vancouver, August 14.—Sympathy is being openly expressed for Bill Miller, the notorious outlaw who was released from the jail at West Vancouver. The case is a very fair one and the people are laughing at the police.

Saved Two Lives

Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 13.—Theodore McLaughlin, 505 Eglar Street, single handed, saved the lives of two Italian boys who were bathing at the St. Louis dam. They had sunk out of sight, when young McLaughlin, who is a G.T.P. employee, dived after them. He caught one by the arm and the other around the body and succeeded in bringing them both to shore. He is an exceptionally strong swimmer.

Resignation of Canon Hinchcliffe

Bed Deer, Aug. 14.—An important meeting of the congregation of St. Luke's church was held Sunday evening immediately after the close of divine service.

Canon Hinchcliffe recently tendered his resignation to the vestry but they refused to accept same without first consulting the congregation. Only one twenty-five ladies and gentlemen stayed behind for the meeting and Canon Hinchcliffe explained the position of affairs. He said he had several good reasons for wishing to be relieved from his charge. Of recent years his health had not been very good and he felt a change would benefit him. He had labored amongst them for a period of five years and now he considered a change of pastor would be beneficial to the parishioners as well as himself.

The bishop had suggested he should exchange livings with some one for a time. He had been proposed by the bishop but the canon was firm and said his mind was made up to leave.

A letter was read from the 'Ladies' Aid' regretting Canon Hinchcliffe's decision and offering to aid in every way possible if he could see his way to resign.

J. L. Crawford, J. A. Carwell, T. J. Ellis, H. B. Drake (moderator), Graham and Wilton all spoke in appreciation of the canon's work and suggested him stay or accept the tentative proposal by the bishop, but the canon was firm and said his mind was made up to leave.

He was then escorted by Mr. Graham and carried that the meeting was closed, and the evening dispersed.

New C.P.R. Coaster

Vancouver, B.C., Aug. 12.—Captain Torrey, superintendent of the Canadian Pacific coast steamship service, announced today that a contract would be awarded for the new Princess liner to run to Seattle in conjunction with the present Princess Victoria within thirty days. The ship will be larger and two knots per hour faster than the present vessel.

A Freak Wager

(Special to the Chronicle)
Toronto, August 14.—Yesterday a man rolled a peanut from Church to Yonge Street, using a toothpick as a crowbar. This was the outcome of a wager on Saturday's yacht race, the peanut roller being a patriotic Canadian who had undertaken to perform the feat in the event of the Seneca beating the Adelaide. He carried out his part like a game player.

The Adelaide was again beaten yesterday by the Seneca in the Canada cup series.

Mills to Be Rebuilt

(Special to the Chronicle)
Ottawa, August 14.—The W. C. Edwards Lumber Co., of which Senator Edwards is the head will rebuild the lumber mill destroyed in the disaster which occurred on July 31st.

Mr. Edwards said the mill will be three hundred thousand dollars.

Stage Upset in B. C.

Nanaimo, August 13.—As the Al-Hag the city by the way of the Newcombe town site, while on the stage, the monkey dropped to the ground following the vehicle to run on the horses' heels and a bad spill resulted. All the passengers with the one exception fell clear of the stage as it turned over. The unlucky man was Count E. Strohroff, of Munich, Germany, who was seriously injured that he had to be taken to the hospital, where it was several hours before he regained consciousness. His condition is regarded as serious and he is suffering from a severe concussion of the brain. The driver was also badly cut up about the face.

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CURRENT COMMENT.

The proposed exhibit of this district which was the intention of the Board of Trade of Edmonton and Strathcona to send to Toronto, and perhaps London, will not likely be made.

In its paternalism the Alberta Government has decided to send a provincial exhibit and it came out at the meeting of the Board of Trade of Edmonton, yesterday, that the matter has been under way for three months, that the exhibit is all ready, and that no locality is to have the privilege of making any penurial merits it may have known.

The information was vouchsafed at the meeting that the exhibit was all ready. Anyone with a head on his shoulders can see that the best Edmonton and Strathcona districts can get by such an arrangement is the worst of it. The products of this locality could not be by any possibility be sent to exhibit at their best, and only at the very last moment could an exhibit be gathered that would at all represent the fertility of the district and the richness and variety of the products for which it is peculiarly adapted.

The Government, however, has arranged that a special exhibit may be sent, AND THEY WILL SEND AND PAY THE EXPENSES OF A MAN, who shall be chosen by it from within a radius of ten miles of Edmonton or Strathcona. But the exhibit must not be labeled and so far as any benefit to the district specifically is concerned, might as well not be made and will only serve to provide a pleasant holiday trip for some local Government supporter.

The Southern portion of the province, everybody knows, is earlier than the rest by reason of climatic conditions. The best it can provide is ready now for exhibition purposes. The vegetables, grasses and spring grains are not generally well enough advanced for display, and if enough can be produced to make a creditable showing they will be lost in the provincial showing so far as any local advantage may accrue. It may be argued that we will benefit from the exhibits of the Southern parts of the province. This district does not desire nor does it need to parade under borrowed plumage, and when land seekers come to the north they will find if they are induced to make the venture by reason of the exhibition, that they have been deceived and the logical result will be that the district will get a bad name. The Provincial Department of Agriculture is said to be opposed to local or district exhibits. In view of the fact that the head of that department comes from a district the chief products of which are rattlesnakes and natural gas, its stand is not to be wondered at. It is unfortunate that the local Board of Trade has finally in a position to send an exhibit of its own, and all that is left to be done presumably is to make a virtue of necessity and hope that something at least distinctive of the district will be sent that the gentleman sent by the government will take advantage of the opportunity to modestly portray the merits of a district that every tourist this season pronounces the best that has come under his observation.

Of course we are sorry that Mr. Burnes has been made the victim of a mob, but mighty glad the hoodlums who howled him down and pelted him with not English-speaking Canadians, but his own people—Hamilton Herald.

THE ANTI-BOURASIA ROWDYISM (Toronto Globe)

All this was done proleptically in the name and for the advantage of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in whose constituency the meeting was held. There cannot be the slightest doubt that the Premier has not a particle of sympathy with rowdism of any sort, and that no one will regret more than he the humiliation brought by ill-considered and thoughtless partisans in the cause of Liberalism in the city of Quebec.

HANDS HIM A LEMON

How the attention of a mob was made masher who annoyed several women on the voyage of the Canard was suddenly stopped by a citrus presentation when the promenade deck was crowded with passengers who enjoyed the man's discomfiture, was told after the Canard had berthed from Liverpool.

A southern woman, who returned from a trip abroad with her husband, was the object of the masher's attentions. From the outset of the voyage he had ogled her at the table, in the saloon and on the promenade decks, and no amount of scolding or evidences of annoyance could shake off his obtrusive attentions. Finally she decided to humiliate the man. Her husband and several friends gathered to see the fun. Surprised indeed was the masher to see at last the woman was paying some attention to him. With a smile she indicated that the two would meet farther up the deck, and a nod indicated the place. With a juncos bow the man extended his hand to grasp that of the woman. But there was no hand-clasp, for instead her fingers relaxed their hold on his large icy fingers. There was a roar of laughter from the crowd scattered along the deck, and the masher, red in the face, hurried through the saloon entrance and went to his cabin. Thereafter he was scarcely seen.

PARTY GOVERNMENT

Professor Goldwin Smith opens the current number of the Canadian Magazine with a brief but pithy "trial" of one of his favorite topics—the evils of the party system. Even in England, where it was first systematized, he considers it to have had only temporary justification. That exceptional time occurred under William Pitt, when in consequence of the Jacobite intrigues and the supposed king by very reluctantly formed an exclusive cabinet of Whigs. A 4 for the present political situation in Britain he regards the government majority, "though numerically large, as really made up of sections most imperfectly united, as they have just shown by breaking on a vital question. A commonwealth," the professor comments, "cannot rest forever on such a basis."

While this is unquestionably the case, it can hardly be denied that in a historic country like England, saturated with feudal and aristocratic traditions, must long witness a conflict between the advocates of the new and the defenders of the old. While there remains a privileged class, an established church, an unequal system of taxation, it is hard to imagine the country without a conflict between the advocates of the new and the defenders of the old. While there remains a privileged class, an established church, an unequal system of taxation, it is hard to imagine the country without a conflict between the advocates of the new and the defenders of the old. While there remains a privileged class, an established church, an unequal system of taxation, it is hard to imagine the country without a conflict between the advocates of the new and the defenders of the old.

Affairs on the continent are not the same. Some issues for a genuine division may once have existed, but in these days both in the United States and Canada politics are reduced to a continuous contest for office. The party machine dominates even the automobile leaders and the electoral rights which are so vital to a successful democracy are figured and sacrificed to party exigencies. Speaking of Canada in closing his article Dr. Goldwin Smith says:

"What little the political air of Canada now with graft and suspicion of graft? What is impeding the integrity of judicial appointments and assailing the last stronghold of public right and past glory of government? What is the necessity of party which compel it to pay its adherents? Our people are good, but corruption will gradually work downwards. It has its instruments in party organizations and in the newspapers, while the people are not aware of it, practically take the elections out of their hands. (Governments) are standing machinery for the demolition of the people. It seems impossible that the world should forever acquiesce in such a system."

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We recognize that the railway commission is very busy. It is not to be expected that it can do everything at once. Possibly, owing to the fact that the Pullman monopoly controls the sleeping car service on most Canadian lines, it can do nothing in this matter. But the situation certainly demands an effort.

A FEW THOUGHTS ABOUT FLANNANCE

People talk about a "strange" in the money market, "they talk about a 'hard winter' in front of us."

The earth is no less bountiful than it was; the sun is shining still, rain has not ceased to fall upon the just and the unjust alike, men still labor night and day, and children are impressed into hard and weary battling toil.

The one province of Alberta in Canada, the one state of Ohio, could feed and clothe the entire world in luxury. These sections are on the job, and they are assisted by millions upon millions of acres of fertile land and by the labor of millions upon millions of people elsewhere upon the earth. Yet the world is supposed to be in need of money.

What is money? It is, in the main, coined labor. It is not only manual labor, because there should be counted in and added to labor the factors of brain, machinery, animal and fish life, sun, air and soil.

Have the fish quit spawning, the animals breeding; the sun shining the people working?

Not perceptibly. But here the financier steps in. "You have been spending too much," he tells us. "Expansion must be followed by contraction. You have danced and now you must pay the piper."

Who has been dancing? Have you farmers of York county; have the clerks and operatives in the stores and factories of Toronto; have the street car conductors; have the retail merchants been turning any handspikes of delight? To the onlooker on in Vienna it appears that the ordinary and wayfarer citizen has been trucking along in the same old way, only too glad to pay his rent and keep the wolf (or thebeast) from the door.

Does it not appear to the ordinary man, this cry of tight money, as a game; a device to hold somebody up? Everyday, from sunrise and sunset Canada increases in wealth at least one million dollars. Rio Janeiro rejoices, and Trinidad is glad, Mexico is delighted, and Porto Rico leaps with joy. But what do the people of Canada get out of it? Very conservative people are inclined to examine our financial system. Why is it that everyday we get richer, and yet money is harder to get and is worth less when we get it than when the country was \$965,000,000 poorer than it is today.

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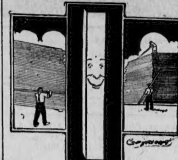
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ters and Joiners of America, meet
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month at 8 p.m. in Odd Fellows
Hall, over Douglas Block's store. All
members and visiting brethren are re-
spected to attend.

JOS. SHARPE,

Res. Secretary.

Around the City.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Clarke left today
for Banff.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Tipton left this
afternoon for coast points.

Owing to the unfavorable weather the
Hotel picnic has been postponed until to-morrow.

Will the person who took a black
pencil with silver hair from the seat
at the picnic grounds on Walter's flat on
August 1st kindly leave the same at the
Chronicle office?

By order of the C. P. R. all business
must cease calling out the names of
their buses. The city and disorder
must cease. Chief of Police Patterson
has the orders and authority to carry
to carry them out, which means, of
course, that the desired result will
follow.

M.A. Weir, a prominent barrister
and leading Liberal politician, was
in the city today, visiting his cousin,
the secretary of the Board of Trade.

Mr. Weir is also a brother of Mrs.
James Toub, wife of the well
known breeder of Hereford stock,
near Edmonton.

Mr. Weir on his trip is making
some investments in farm lands
near travelling through Mani-
toba, Saskatchewan and Southern
Alberta, has decided to purchase in
the Strathcona district.

He says that east or west there
is no district where the crops are
further advanced or show a brighter
prospect for an abundant harvest.
The productiveness of the soil, he
says, is simply marvellous and he
sees now what he never saw be-
fore, the reason of the migration of
farmers from the older provinces.
Mr. Weir will drive extensively over
the Clover Bar and Agriola dis-
tricts and make a selection of farm
lands before returning East.

Correspondence

THE GEORGE LAMB MEMORIAL
FUND

To the Editor Strathcona Chronicle:
Dear Sir—Will you permit me to
correct an error which has appeared
in your columns, re the committee
organized to raise a fund for the
erection of a memorial to George
Lamb and his fellows. There ap-
pears at the foot of the subscrip-
tion list a statement to the effect
that "subscriptions will be received
by G. W. Murgatroyd" who is stat-
ed to be treasurer of the S.O.E.B.S.
Mr. Murgatroyd is not treas-
urer of the S.O.E.B.S., nor is he
treasurer of the Memorial Fund. He
is the Secretary of the Memorial
Fund. He is the secretary of the
Fund. Further, this commit-
tee, although elected in the first
place by the S.O.E.B.S., Strath-
cona Branch, is not a committee in
the strict sense of the word. It is
a committee organized for the ex-
press purpose, viz for the organiz-
ing and administering a fund ex-
pressly for the memorial.

Your insertion of this, also an al-
teration of the statement compris-
ed of in your columns will much
oblige.

Yours respectfully,
JOHN R. ASHHEAD,
Chairman of
Memorial
Committee.

We must plead guilty to making
the statement "complained of"
as to Mr. Murgatroyd being
treasurer of the S.O.E.B.S., and
offer our apologies to Mr. Ashhead,
with the assurance that the mis-
take will not occur again. We do
not remember, however, that we
ever made the statement that the
memorial fund committees a com-
mittee of the S.O.E.B.S., and we
have ground for complaint against
us on this point. —Editor.

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WESTERN PASTOR ON WESTERN PROBLEMS

Calgary, Aug. 12.—Rev. Dr. Spar-
ling, pastor of Grace Church, Winni-
peg, addressed a very largely at-
tended meeting of the Men's Own
yesterday afternoon the doctor did
not speak from any set subject but
delivered a very interesting and in-
structive address.

He had, he said, made up his mind
to visit this western country and
would not be satisfied until he had
seen every part of it. Canadians
had a glorious heritage in this
western land. There was no coun-
try on earth with such a variety of
resources, soil or climate. There is
also a great variety of people. In
the city of Winnipeg there are forty
three different nationalities. He
would like to see the very best peo-
ple coming to Canada, but some are
not such good. A great many of
the new arrivals never will be of any
benefit either to themselves or the
country and will never become true
citizens. He did not know who was
responsible, but in the anxiety to se-
cure immigrants a great many peo-
ple were coming in who would never
get rid of their low moral ideas in
life. The country is facing and will
continue to face one of the greatest
problems any country ever had to
confront.

The state is leaving too much to
the church. It should share with
the church the responsibilities of
elevating the moral tone of these
people. He could map out a course
in which the state could take part
without offending the religious
scruples of any one. He believed the
state and church should go hand in
hand in this work.

The meanest man he ever met
was one who had not a good word
to say of his place in which he was
born or of any other place. That
man had failed in everything which
he undertook. He asked the ques-
tion, "How is it in Calgary?" Did they like
Edmonton? If this spirit were kept
up people would get out of the true
Canadian spirit. Calgary is a won-
derful place and is sure to be a
large and flourishing city, but they
must not forget that there are other
places. W. should be as broad as
Canada itself and cultivate a more
unanimous spirit. Nothing will
well our hearts so much with patri-
otism as to know our country. The
true greatness of a country is not
material but moral.

The greatest enemy to the growth
of western cities is the question of
spirit which appears to permeate
every line of life and was especially ap-
parent in the real estate business.
He had been told that there were
three hundred real estate agents in
Calgary besides the C.P.R. He be-
lieved it was possible to conduct a
real estate business in a western city
on a legitimate basis, but he knew
of hundreds of people who had put
their hard earned savings into specu-
lation from which they would never get
back. Many men are getting rich in
such a way that if they ever become
principled men they will be ashamed
of the way by which they secured
their wealth.

The doctor then took up the
swearing habit, which appeared to be
the common English of a large num-
ber in the west. He had heard more
swearing in the west than he had
ever heard in his life. They should
refuse to speak at all if they could
talk without using oaths. Some
people should go to school a few
days to learn a few words of Eng-
lish.

In conclusion he urged his hearers
to above all things become Chris-
tians in body, soul and spirit. They
could enter into all kinds of manly
sports and be none the worse Chris-
tians.

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The following subscriptions to the
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the miners who lost their lives in the
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